





## SOCIALISTS RESTIVE UNDER ARMY THREATS.

### Tone of German Address to Strikers Goads Reichstag to Rebuke.

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)

BERLIN, April 29.—(via London.)—The appeal issued to German munition workers by Gen. Groener, chief of the department of munitions, in which he denounced strikers as political traitors and said they would be suppressed with the full force of the law, has resulted in sharp criticism in the Reichstag main committee, Berlin dispatches say. Gustav Hoch, Socialist Deputy, said:

"This appeal is not made in a tone in which free thinking workmen should be addressed. As long as grievances exist, strikes cannot be avoided."

Dr. Ernst Quack, Social Democrat, said:

"This is a release into patriotic times. There can be no separation of the economic and political demands of workers. There is no political movement which is not at the same time economic."

Herr Bauer said:

"These orders from military quarters are not intelligible to workmen. The laugh at such language, which cannot possibly impress them. The government ought to maintain contact with organized labor."

Stipendums

## ARMY SHAPES MACHINERY FOR FIRST GREAT DRAFT.

Prospects for Final Agreement on Pending Details of Universal Service Bill Cause Departments to Hasten Preparations for Getting Men Enrolled and Equipped. New National Guard is Also to be Formed.

(BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 29.—Congress, having determined overwhelmingly that conscription shall rule in raising the new army to fight the battle against autocracy in Europe it still must settle differences between the Senate and House on the limitations of men to be selected by draft for this service. This is the chief point at issue and when this issue is settled, the general disposition is to hasten the bill to conference.

Another problem for the conference is the Senate's demand that the bill should permit the President to accept the proffered services of Col. Roosevelt and his division of experienced volunteers who would be eligible to the selective draft. The House turned down such a proposal.

Members of the Conference Committee who probably will be named as soon as a conference is asked, are the following:

Senate—Chamberlain, Hitchcock and Fletcher, Democrats, and Warren and Brady, Republicans.

House—Dent, Fields and Quinn, Democrats, and Kahn and Anthony, Republicans.

**HARMONY PROBABLE.**

Senator Chamberlain said tonight he thought that all minor agreements between the two houses could be settled without much trouble in view of the fact that the main issue had been disposed of and that the conference report would be ratified before the end of the week. As soon as the bill becomes law, the government will face some important problems. First, of course, will come the registration of citizens eligible for conscription, providing the machinery for the gigantic task and then the machinery for examination of eligibles and appointment of exemption boards.

Already there is much speculation as to how soon the training for conscription can begin. Estimates vary from August 1 to September 1. The proclamation calling for registration of citizens, however, probably will be issued within thirty days. From these will be selected the first 500,000 men for the new army.

Before the new army is raised the government must all the regular army and National Guard to authorized war strength. To speed up this recruiting the President is expected to issue a proclamation within a few days calling for volunteers. About 150,000 more men are needed for the regular army and 350,000 for the new army.

Disaster.

## SEVEN MEN SUFFOCATE WHEN MINE POWER FAILS.

Employees in Mariposa County Gold Workings Cannot Get Air Because of Break in Flume—Work of Recovering Dead at Hastings Moves Slowly—Scores of Children Orphaned and Women Widowed.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

MERCEDES (Cal.) April 29.—Seven miners employed in the Mountain King gold mine, Mariposa county, of suffocated last night when a break in the flume running to the mine, shut off the power. With the electric current cut it was impossible either to pump air into the mine or work the hoist to bring the miners to the surface. The bodies were recovered early this morning.

The seven men killed were: PETER DUFAU, JOHN ECKHART, JOSEPH GARINO, JOHN WACHNER, LEO CAYTON, PETER BRUCHERO, CARL FRANK.

**HASTINGS DISASTER.**

HASTINGS (Cal.) April 29.—Sixty hours after the explosion destroyed sixty-two men in the Hastings mine of the Victor American Fuel Company here Friday morning, only eighteen bodies had been brought out and only three more had been located in the mine. A heavy fall of rock beyond the fourth entry is blocking the way to

## "TIMES" YOSEMITE VALLEY EXCURSION.

Special Times excursion party is being formed to visit Yosemite Valley. The party will leave La Grange station on Saturday, May 19, next, returning to Los Angeles Monday, May 28.

The price of ticket, which includes round-trip railroad and stage transportation direct to and from El Capitan Camp, berth on train, all meals en route, hotel accommodations and meals at the camp, is \$50. For further information address The Times Excursion Department, First and Broadway. Telephone, 19391 and Main 5100.

## Our Flag in France.

(Continued from First Page.)

pocket of his jacket two typewritten sheets of paper and began to read. His voice was soft. American and French officers stood just behind him at attention. The correspondents applauded and smiled. A military aide read an English version, which he explained was a translation of the original. As the last word was read and the correspondents realized the importance of the message, there was a burst of applause, then cheers—cheers so loud that the correspondents were obliged to shout themselves as capable as the corresponding people in England.

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therefore consider it better to send unit by unit over at a time.

Marshal Joffre was asked would it be possible to send over the whole of the American troops or people who are fighting at the front. He said it would be inadvisable to send out any such large instance of valor where valor was so general.

In a general way he has had to congratulate all Americans in France and notably the whole corps of aviators, who had been most successful.

Marshal Joffre was also asked: "Would these troops which are being sent over be trained by French soldiers?"

In reply he said that there was no reason to doubt the capacity of the officers of the American army to fully train their men. It was a distance from the field of action. It does not take so very long a time to train subordinate officers to lead their men into battle.

Taking for example—they have a very considerable number of divisions on the front and most of these divisions are composed of the best officers before the war warblers, merchants, etc., and the same men in America would certainly show themselves as capable as the corresponding people in England.

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## SHELL-SWEPT LAND PROSPERS.

### Farms Ruined by Big Guns Still Pay the Owners.

Men Back of Lines Earn Cash in Many Ways.

Needs of the Army Bring Money to Area.

(A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.)

BEHIND THE BRITISH LINES IN FRANCE, April 29.—When the tide of German invasion swept through Belgium and into France, thousands of the inhabitants fled before it, leaving their property to the mercy of the invader. The tide was stemmed and made to ebb, but in its backward rush still more material damage was done, and now, after two years and more of trench warfare, the country behind the British lines consists of a broad belt of blackened and pitted fields, shattered woods and damaged buildings.

Yet it is surprising to find, amid all this apparent ruin, that the population is enjoying a prosperity as great, and in many cases, greater, than in peace times.

Many of the inhabitants have gone, it is true, but a large proportion have stayed behind, in spite of the perils and restrictions which proximity to the trench area involve, and though the bustle of war has put an end to many of their wonted pleasures, starvation is unknown, and the necessities of life are removed from the door even of the poorest dwelling place.

The vast floating population of soldiers in the rear of the war zone is the greatest factor in the prosperity. The soldiers, men able and willing to pay good currency for services rendered, have provided the area with a constant stream of opportunities of which the people have not been slow to avail themselves.

Higher prices for food and other necessities have been the result of the war. The price of wheat, for example, has risen to a point where it is no longer possible to grow it in the area. The price of other crops has also risen, and the people have been able to make a good thing out of the war.

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## AVIATORS GERMAN AIRMEN.

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## ANGELENO FOUND DEAD IN ST. LOUIS HOTEL.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)  
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## KING OF GREECE MAY ABDICATE.

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## SOCIALIST SESSION PROVES TEMPESTUOUS.

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## CURA SUPPRESSES PAPER.

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HAVANA, April 29.—The government has issued an order forbidding publication of the Diario Revolucionario, a Spanish daily paper of Havana. The government has issued an order forbidding publication of the Diario Revolucionario.

## THE ARMY BILL.

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(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)  
ST. LOUIS, April 29.—The body of Lewis B. Brownlee of Los Angeles was found in his room in a hotel here today. Apparently he had been dead since Friday and had been taken to the hospital.

## KING OF GREECE MAY ABDICATE.

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
LONDON, April 29.—An Athens dispatch to the Daily Mail says that the king of Greece may abdicate. The king is said to be in a state of mind that he will abdicate.

## SOCIALIST SESSION PROVES TEMPESTUOUS.

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
BUENOS AIRES, April 29.—The first session of the Socialist Congress here yesterday was very tempestuous. Senator Iberico was severely attacked and the sitting was frequently interrupted.

## CURA SUPPRESSES PAPER.

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
HAVANA, April 29.—The government has issued an order forbidding publication of the Diario Revolucionario, a Spanish daily paper of Havana. The government has issued an order forbidding publication of the Diario Revolucionario.

## THE ARMY BILL.

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(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
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**Ryan Upsets Sabbath Morning Beano.**

to provide legal assistance to the problems that have arisen from Preparedness Day explosions around July and would be glad to employ an attorney selected by the War Department or the Department of Commerce as the best person for the job.

The grand jury, aided by Atty.-Gen. Robert M. Clark, announced, was prepared to proceed tomorrow with its investigation.

charges of subornation of perjury against F. C. Oxman, chief of police, against Thomas J. Mooney, charged with murder in connection with a bomb explosion. Oxman, a policeman of Oregon, is charged with

ing attempted to get F. H. Grayville, Ill., to testify against Mooney.

Thomas M. O'Connor, counsel for Mooney, said that the city labor bodies were arranged a mass meeting in the city

auditorium to be held in a hall which would be "safe" against perversions of justice following the action of the Labor council last night, demanding the resignation of Dist.-Atty. Fickert. A petition was placed in front

Judge Clarke, selected by Gen. U. S. Webb to conduct the investigation before the grand jury, spent some time at the Attorney General's office going over the

script of the Oscan hearing was held before Felix Matthews M. Brady, U. S. Atty.-Gen. Webb would appear at the meeting of the jury tomorrow night.

**WILL MAKE SUGAR  
FROM WINE GRAPES**

(BY A. F. NIGHT HAWK.)

**SAN FRANCISCO, APRIL 12.**

process whereby sugar and molasses, allowing only two hits, may be made from grapes and goes to show that youth will below the present market be served, but "Long Tom" was old- will result in many of the seventh, and they began grower drying their produce him. ear, according to an estimate "Long Tom," while his chassis is

nade here. It was said before  
scouring the district available  
o offering 4 cents a pound for  
rine grapes. This is equal to  
18 a ton, which, it was said,  
more than the winter's stock  
making sugar from grapes in

un last season.

**BREAD RISE IN STOCK**  
(BY A. P. DAY WISE)  
STOCKTON, April 8.—The  
prices will advance here

...ing, according to the ... It is believed, however, that ... will begin spriting again when ... club goes on the road, and he ... away from the heart-rending ... of his recent spiking. ... Rayway, Ryan soaked Hannah ... one gone to the ...

# MEASURES LEGISLATION

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WT WIRE.]

on's report recommended the amendment as a

Joe had a double play, or almost anything else that he wanted under his finger tips, and that included the ball. The ball refused to respond to his finger tips, and while he was clawing for it, Hughes scored. With three runners still

Realizing the time involved in the process, the panel was composed of public service leaders from the business and labor communities for the support of the government.

The Goetting mediation is available to provide for compulsory mediation for labor disputes involving public employees.

... was refused permission to enter the assembly floor. A similar incident occurred on the Morris Sunderland ship, where the crew provided a day of rest for the troops and certain other personnel. The ship was ordered to turn back, to shift the route a few miles to the south.

representations of the farmers that their horses be pocketed between the pass and the Feather River was one of the most humorous in the Assembly. Mr. It. Moo met defeat on the ball with his mitt as it appeared to bounding into beyond. Whirling around like a sprinkler, Glalason nipped away at first. Groehling, battling Ryan, was out on another fast ball by Glalason. Maggart busted into acorin. Davis.

Two other measures were passed during the session. The first was a bill to vest broad authority in the board of Architecture. The second was a bill to give Edwin proposal of a new building for the domestic servants.

men's daylight parade. The visiting blokes on second and third bases were in order to balance the three runners. B. Ryan was purposely moved by Bernhard off-set this strategy by sending Quinlan in to hit for Ryan. Bobby did so, spanking a double to left that scored Taben and

Friedman's bill to establish a national red light abolition fund was sent through the Assembly and passed by a 50-40 vote. The bill was passed by the Assembly and passed by a 50-40 vote.

SWIMMERS SET  
NEW RECORDS.

**S FREED**

British rule. She was released by the British government yesterday, and was released.

...burns broke the American record in the 66 2-3-yard dash back stroke, doing the stunt in 47 4-5s. The former record was made by H. Jensen (Olympic Club) in 1924.

the 21-yard breast, which is new in the American records, was made by Orville Burch (I.A.A.C.) in 15 2-5-8. Sanford Goodwin set the record in the 22-

...the 33 1/3-yard dash, doing the feat in 15.4-5s. The "Duke" did the same stunt in 16.2-s., but the time was not official.

and the same matter













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## THE CITY AND ENVIRONS.

By Westlake Masons.

A patriotic ball and card party will be given by Westlake Lodge, No. 332, Masons, Thursday evening, May 16, in the Goldberg-Bosley Hall, "Uncle Sam" will lead the grand march to the tune of "The Star Spangled Banner."

Call for Colored Soldiers.

A patriotic mass meeting will be held at the Colored Y.M.C.A., No. 551 South San Pedro street, Wednesday evening, for the enrollment of able-bodied single men between the ages of 16 and 25 years, who desire to form a regiment of home guards and who will be willing to be mustered into the volunteer army of the United States in event their service is needed.

Benefit for School.

A number of people who are interested in maintaining the High School of St. Vibia's Cathedral have arranged for a spectacular benefit to be given May 4 and 5 at No. 409 South Hill street. The affair will be entitled "The Coconut Grove." The place will be decorated to represent the famous Coconut Grove at Palm Beach, Fla. Many novel and entertaining features will be provided.

Home Garden Luncheon.

Every sort of food product that can be grown in the back lots of Los Angeles will be served Wednesday afternoon at the Alexandria, when the Chamber of Commerce home garden luncheon will be given. Gov. Stephens will be the principal speaker, and is expected to emphasize the defensive needs of the State. President Scherer of the Chamber of Commerce, Pasadena, will talk on the apathy of Southern California in military preparations.

To Make Frisco?

The North End Restaurant and Hotel Men's Association of Los Angeles, including all restaurants north of Second and Hill streets, east to Los Angeles street and north to the Plaza, will hold a meeting this afternoon at No. 214 North Main street to discuss the present food situation and the advisability of a general strike in prices. The association was organized last week with Oscar Fines as president and L. S. Blois as the Imperial Cafe as secretary.

Get Your May Basket.

One hundred May baskets will be given away this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at British Ambulance Society headquarters, No. 933 South Broadway. Mrs. W. H. Heger of Santa Monica will be in charge and will be assisted by a number of prominent women who will try to make it a real May Day festival. Gladys Barnes and Hilda Hopkins will sing; Master Gamu and his little sister will appear in a May Day dance; Regin Black will be the accompanist. Miss Elizabeth Dyer will distribute the May baskets.

Red Cross Helpers, Attention!

All the young women and matrons who are to participate in the coming Red Cross bazaar benefit at the Mason Opera-house next week are urged to be at Shrine Auditorium to-night for rehearsal. Those in charge declare that every minute must be devoted to the bazaar, as costumes have to be fitted, decorations made, assignments arranged for the two phalanxes, and a lot of detailed drilling is still necessary. Some donations, yet to be made public, have been made to the bazaar, and the minutes proper, the first two features of the coming Red Cross bazaar week, and the oil, it is expected, will be varied every night, with some sensational stars participating on each occasion.

Hilarity.

GETS FIRST RIDE.

Novelty of Being a Passenger in an Automobile is Considered by Prisoner Compensation for Being Locked Up in City Jail.

Duke Howard, 72 years old, address unknown, is in the City Jail, after having enjoyed the most exciting ride of his life. He rode in a police machine and it was his experience in an automobile.

The police say that Duke, while drunk early yesterday morning, tried to gain entrance to a fashionable West Side apartment-house. Someone telephoned Central Station and Detectives Houston and Harr were sent to the scene in a big car that roared through the quiet streets. Duke heard the noise and roared also, but his words were meaningless.

Detectives Houston and Barr arrested the old man and went to an all-night drug store and telephone Central Station, which sent them after a purse-matcher on Georgia street.

Notable Violinist and Large Chorus to be Heard.

A musical programme of interest will be given next Thursday evening at the Swedish Tabernacle, Lincoln and Francisco streets, to raise money for the church. A large chorus will sing the Pilgrim's Chorus from Tannhauser and the prayer scene from Cavalleria Rusticana, and Prof. Theodore Lindberg, violinist of wide reputation, will make his first public appearance here.

Prof. Lindberg was for nine years head of the violin department of Bethany College, Lindburg, Kan., and for more than ten years was president of the Wichita Conservatory of Music. He recently came to this city to make his home.

MAIL CLERKS DROPPED.

Since the wholesale revision of the railway mail service was inaugurated by the Postoffice Department the following railway postoffice lines in California and near-by States have been either discontinued entirely or noticeably curtailed: Livermore and Santa Fe, Oroville and Sacramento, Elkhart, Falls and Weed, Hazen and Susanville, Niles and San Jose, Valley Springs and Lodi, Oakdale and Merced, Watsonville and Santa Cruz, Los Angeles and East San Pedro, Phoenix and Maricopa, Los Angeles and San Diego. These alterations and curtailments have resulted in the dropping of eighteen railway mail clerks and the reduction is giving rise to considerable protest.



Livingston Plummer.

Who intends to do his bit by lending savings to government.

HE'S A PATRIOT.

Military School Cadet Would Lend Savings to Government.

Livingston Plummer, son of Theodore Plummer of the Weymouth apartments, believes in being practically patriotic, as does also his brother, Theodore M. Plummer of San Antonio.

By the dint of stringent economy, Livingston, who is a cadet at a local military school, has saved up \$100. This he gave to his father, brother to invest for him. When the war clouds gathered, Theodore, the elder, tried to enlist, but was rejected because of his physical condition. Determined he should do something for his country, he borrowed \$5000 at 7 per cent, and now intends to lend it to the government at the usual 3 1/2 per cent. Moreover, he wrote Livingston suggesting that he do the same. The reply was instant and emphatic: "I will gladly lend my \$500 to the government."

FOR THE MERCHANTS.

Ad Club Issues Wide Invitation to Dinner.

A special invitation has been issued to the merchants of the city to attend the open meeting and dinner of the Los Angeles Ad Club this evening at the Clark, in celebration of "advertising day." All entertainment features will be eliminated and the entire time devoted to talks on the present business situation as it affects advertising and selling.

There will be numerous speakers, including R. C. Crane, advertising man; Arthur J. Morris, founder of the Morris-plan bank; Charles C. Rosewater, S. L. Weaver, merchant; W. H. Booth, banker; Arthur Letts, merchant; J. G. Bullock, merchant; Curtis C. Noel, salesman; G. A. Brock, merchant; O. H. Morgan, auditor of the Mexican Petroleum Company, and Ad Sidney Jones, manufacturer. Robert B. Armstrong will be the toastmaster.

Arrangements for the affair have been handled by the following committee: P. C. Miller, J. W. Sanger, S. R. Whiting, Ed Twomey, A. A. Buterworth and A. C. O'Connell, chairman of the Programme and Educational Committee of the club.

CANT COOK; DIES.

Crippled Woman Takes Gas While Husband Dines Out.

Crippled hands, though unable to prepare a husband's dinner, helped Mrs. Minnie Palmer, 60 years old, to commit suicide yesterday afternoon in her home at No. 608 North Soto street. With the hands that were numbed with rheumatism and locked in the doors and windows in the bathroom and had cleverly arranged a gas tubing to inhale the deadly fumes.

Since her illness her husband, Charles F. Palmer, has taken his meals away from home to save her the labor. When he left home yesterday noon to take dinner downtown, his wife walked to the door with him.

Two hours later, upon his return, he found his wife dead and with the gas tubing in her mouth.

Mrs. Palmer had left a letter to her husband, asking him to see that an adopted son, Walter, now living in Bangor, Me., is treated kindly.

BUSINESS BREVITIES.

The largest assortment of boys' knicker suits, wash suits, juvenile suits and youth's suits; also boys' furnishings as compared to any boys' department in the Pacific Coast—and this on the testimony of traveling salesmen and many customers. Ours is a real boy's store—complete in every detail—shown in a daylight salesroom—airy and roomy—backed by our guarantee of satisfaction with every purchase and the very best of values and makes. Harris & Frank, Clothiers of Reliability, Spring street near Fifth.

Branch offices for the convenience of the Times patrons are located at No. 619 South Spring street and Nos. 719-725 South Hill street. Advertisements and subscriptions taken. Telephone Main 3200, 10291.

For quick action drop answers to Times "liners" in Times liner boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in a number of others, and given rise to considerable protest.

The Exclusive Specialty House

**Myer Siegel & Co.**

443-445-447 S. Broadway

**Neckwear**

at 50¢

An unusual assortment of the very newest effects. Some in sets. Others, separate collars with frills or touches of hand embroidery, made of organdy, pique, Georgette crepe, or net. Exceptional values at this low price.

PIANOS-VICTROLAS-PLAYERS

**SMITH PIANO Co.**

406 WEST SEVENTH ST.  
726 SOUTH MAIN ST.

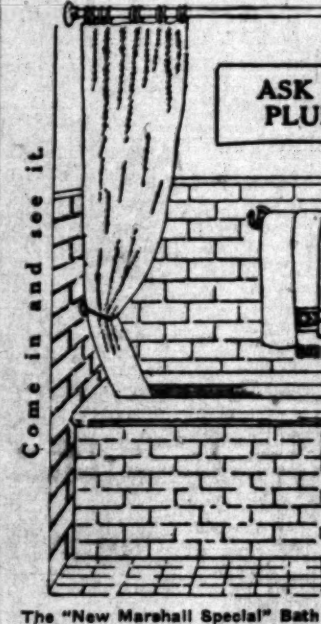
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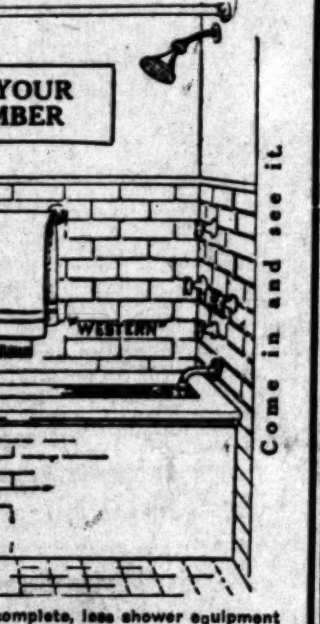
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## THE WEATHER.

(Official Report.)

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, April 29.—(Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Meteorologist.) At 5 o'clock a.m. the thermometer registered 26.9°; at 8 p.m., 36.0°. The weather for the preceding hours showed 50° day, and 61° day. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 92 per cent; 8 p.m., 61 per cent. Wind, light, variable, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, 40 miles. Rainfall for season, 15.06 inches; for month, 1.46 inches. No rain for 10 days.

LOCAL FORECAST.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair, western winds. Southern California: Fair, western winds.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 29.—Weather forecast: San Francisco, Oakland and vicinity: Fair Monday; light, westerly winds. Santa Clara Valley, San Joaquin Valley and Southern California: Fair Monday; light, westerly winds.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Forecast for Arizona: Monday and Tuesday generally fair; warmer Monday.

COLORADO RIVER.

YUMA (April 29)—(Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reservation Service.) Gage height Colorado River, 16.50 feet.

VITAL RECORD.

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

BARKER, At Los Angeles, Cal., April 28, William S. Barker, son of Mrs. Barker, 505 Figueroa street, Los Angeles, aged 10 years.

CAMP, At her home, No. 1245 South Hope street, Los Angeles, Cal., April 28, Mrs. C. C. Camp, 72 years and 9 months, mother of Edgar S. Camp, Los Angeles, Cal., aged 72 years and 9 months.

COLEMAN, At the family residence, No. 421 Coleman, Los Angeles, Cal., April 28, John Coleman, son of William H. Coleman, Los Angeles, Cal., aged 10 years and 9 months.

CONNELL, At his home, No. 1245 South Hope street, Los Angeles, Cal., April 28, John O. Connell, son of John O. Connell, Los Angeles, Cal., aged 10 years and 9 months.

FOSTER, At his late residence, No. 3815 Fifth street, Los Angeles, Cal., April 28, John F. Foster, son of John F. Foster, Los Angeles, Cal., aged 10 years and 9 months.

GILLILAND, At Santa Monica, William H. Gilliland, son of William H. Gilliland, Santa Monica, Cal., aged 10 years and 9 months.

HAMMOND, At No. 844 Central street, Los Angeles, Cal., April 28, John H. Hammond, son of John H. Hammond, Los Angeles, Cal., aged 10 years and 9 months.

HAY, At his home, No. 1245 South Hope street, Los Angeles, Cal., April 28, John H. Hay, son of John H. Hay, Los Angeles, Cal., aged 10 years and 9 months.

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## PLEDGE VOTES FOR WOODMAN.

Thousand Prominent Citizens Sign Mayor's Petition.

Mud-slingers Bitterly Scored by the Incumbent.

Manager Predicts Big Victory for City Attorney.

One thousand influential and representative citizens of all walks of life and representing almost every organization in the municipality have formed a committee and signed a petition pledging themselves to work and vote for Mayor Woodman at the primaries and urging the thinking citizens of Los Angeles to support the incumbent at the polls tomorrow.

The petition follows: "We, the undersigned, are going to vote for Mayor Frederic T. Woodman and respectfully recommend that all who favor his election as Mayor for the coming term should not fail to vote at the primaries on Tuesday, next.

"We suggest this for the best interests of Los Angeles, inasmuch as his election at the primaries will then permit him to give his undivided time and strength for the coming month which otherwise would be seriously encroached upon to the highest office in our city.

"This will also enable him to carefully mature plans for his new administration—a month sooner than otherwise."

Among those signing the petition are George L. Cochran, W. L. Hingworth, Gilbert S. White, Arthur Lettis, Dr. Edwin O. Palmer, Mrs. E. H. Lane, Otis Houston, George L. Eastman, E. P. Benjamin, Roy Jones, Charles C. Tracy, Ray F. Carter, H. N. Moss, W. C. Anderson, Orlando T. Palmer, J. T. Wright, J. W. McCallan, J. B. Wilcox, Frank H. Strong, Bert O. Miller, Mrs. Mary Magdon, George Rump, Minnie F. Dietz, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Davidson, H. E. Murkett, J. H. Carroll, Edward W. Lewis and Harry R. Calender.

**MAYOR HURLS LIE.**  
Answering veiled charges that if he is returned to the office of Mayor he will be swayed by so-called "invisible government," Mayor Woodman hurled the lie yesterday in the following statement:

"Statements have been made that if I am returned to office, so-called 'invisible government' will interfere with or dictate to my administration.

"I have been at the head of a department or in the Mayor's chair now for over five years and if there is such a thing as 'invisible government' no man has ever hinted that in those years it has ever interfered in any manner with my administration of public affairs.

"I have never made a pledge or promise to any person, faction or organization during my entire public life.

"When I am returned to the Mayor's chair it will be without pledge or promise of any kind or description.

"Those contemptible, mud-slinging-partisans who hint that if I am returned to the Mayor's chair I will be swayed by so-called 'invisible government' or outside influence are cowards of the lowest type and liars beneath contempt."

**VICTORY PREDICTED.**  
There will be several rousing meetings this evening to wind up the whirlwind fight to re-elect Albert Lee Stephens to the office of City Attorney. The Stephens flying squadron will be heard in all parts of the city while Mr. Stephens is scheduled to speak before one of the largest gatherings of colored voters held during the campaign, at Ninth street and Santa Fe avenue.

A clean-cut victory for Mr. Stephens is the prediction made by Campaign Manager J. M. Close.

"Two years ago the citizens of Los Angeles elected Albert Lee Stephens City Attorney at the primaries, by 46,000 votes against 3000 for his nearest opponent," said Mr. Close.

"Indications are that the vote will be heavier at the primaries this year than two years ago, as it takes the attitude of a final election on some of the most important positions. A City Attorney and an auditor are bound to be elected at this time and many are predicting that the Mayor will also be elected on May 1.

"The heavier the vote the greater advantage I see for Mr. Stephens, who has been in office for two terms and has served the people well."

"It is admitted that a hotter campaign has been waged by Mr. Stephens' opponent this year than two years ago but after a very careful survey of the situation and a canvass of various precincts in all parts of the city I believe Mr. Stephens' election is assured by a two-to-one vote."

**WILLIAMS IS CONFIDENT.**  
Warren L. Williams, candidate for City Attorney, declared last night that he has every reason to be confident of election. He stated that he and his friends have made a thorough canvass of the city and he has received encouragement from every side.

**COUNCIL CANDIDATES.**  
Richmond P. Benton, former Assemblyman, is making a final canvass of his own district in Boyle Heights, accompanied by a body of rooters and a band. He is asking the support of his district as a unit, declaring on his indoorments and past record he can be elected and is the logical man to represent the 60,000 residents of Boyle Heights in the Council.

Answering questions on the coming problems to be handled by the City Council, James C. Borton spoke before the Park Ebell Club in Carnegie Hall. He also spoke at the Labor Temple and the Lincoln High School advocating district representation.

E. I. Phillips, who is supported by fifteen Phillips-For-Council Clubs in all parts of the city, spoke in San Fernando and at the Harbor this week, choosing as his subject, "Should a taxpayer be barred from office?"

Thomas W. Roulo, who is superintending the work for the many Roulo-For-Council Clubs in all districts of the city, will hold meetings tonight to arrange for handling transportation of voters.

A McNally-For-Council Club, including Mr. Addison Jackson, C. W.

Dordinger, Wallace Laughlin, W. M. Strohman, J. T. Wagner, A. J. Johnson and Clark Doolittle, has been formed in Hollywood and members are actively working for their chosen candidate.

**BENEFIT MATINEE.**  
Daughters of Revolution will Put on Vaudeville.

For the benefit of the Red Cross and Navy League, Eschscholtz Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will present a "Colonial" program at the Ebell Club auditorium at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The affair has been arranged by Mrs. Dwight Satterlee, assisted by officers of the Red Cross and Navy League and by several notable artists.

The entertainment will be varied, including numbers by a vocal quartette, a one-act play written by Mrs. Satterlee and directed by Willard Newell, a group of patriotic songs by Mrs. Satterlee and her daughters, and a series of living pictures posed by Rita V. Harlan. Mrs. Gail Mills Dimmitt will sing "The Star Spangled Banner."

**Announcement.**  
**POWER FIGHT WILL STILL BE PUSHED.**

**TO GUARD AGAINST CONFESSION OF ISSUES AT STAKE.**

Secretary of Property Owners' League Says Campaign of Education will Ensnare—Sees Danger in Continuation of Temporary Agreement with the Companies.

Because there is a tendency on the part of voters to confuse the issues in the proposed power deal, Walter Little, secretary Los Angeles Property Owners' League, intends to begin a campaign of education. He will explain that the temporary agreement which the city will enter into today is not a proposition different from the ten, twenty and thirty-year contract which the power bureaucracy proposes to "hand to the people under the \$12,000,000 power bond deal."

That the temporary contract will be in operation only from May 1 to July 1 will be emphasized by the secretary. He says he will endeavor to show that by statute of limitations the contract will become null and void after the first of July, without any special act from the Council or other officials being necessary.

The danger, he says, would be the continuation of the temporary agreement.

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## CITIZENS TO HAVE INNING.

City Council Assures Public Hearing on Billboards.

Welfare Committee to Delete into Ordinance Today.

Knowing Ones Say Measure Isn't Stringent Enough.

Today the Public Welfare Committee of the City Council will delete the proposed new billboard ordinance. Vigorous protests have been lodged against the regulating plan by those financially interested in the construction and maintenance of these nuisances. A battery of attorneys for the billboard operators will probably be on hand to voice the protests, which they have filed already in writing.

Numerous civic organizations, which have opposed the billboards for years past and have been particularly interested in the present effort to curb their inroads on property, even in the finest residence sections, will be represented also. Several officials of these societies

have openly declared that unless the ordinance is passed, practically as it has been drawn, they will demand a public vote on the question of total elimination.

They have publicly voiced their opinion that the draft of the regulatory ordinance is not stringent, in that it fails to eradicate the evil. The billboard operators, on the other hand, insist that should the ordinance pass in its present form, it would be the most drastic law in the United States.

It is believed by those who have studied the situation, that if left to a vote of the people, the sentiment against the billboards would wipe them out entirely. Those who have pondered over the measure now up for consideration, see in it only a continuation of trouble with billboards. Amendments will probably be asked almost from the start, they state, and it will only be a matter of time until the billboards will be occupying the same position they have in the past.

So far citizens have been helpless and powerless to make known their attitude in the matter: the City Council has agreed that as soon as the Welfare Committee has made its recommendations, a public discussion in the Council Chamber will be ordered so that the voters may have their say.

**Best Medicine for Constipation.**  
Mrs. Charles Crimm, Charleston, Ill., states that Chamberlain's Tablets are the best medicine for constipation that she has ever used. There are hundreds of others who are of the same opinion. These tablets are easy to take and most agreeable in effect.—(Advertisement.)

**How About Your Will?**  
Statistics show that only about one-half of those who died in Los Angeles County during Nineteen Sixteen disposed of their estates by Will.

No doubt the majority of those who failed to attend to this very important matter fully intended to do so, but waited too long.

If you have not made your will, or wish to change one already made, consult our Trust Officers or write for free literature bearing upon the subject.

**Bank of Italy**  
LOS ANGELES BRANCHES  
BROADWAY AND SEVENTH  
PICO AND ELMOLINO 220 NORTH SPRING

**Decided.**  
**CANT DISCRIMINATE.**

State Railroad Commission Issues Order Obliging Southern Pacific to Remove Rate Inequality Between Ventura and This City.

An order directing the Southern Pacific to remove within sixty days the discrimination in rates now existing against Ventura, for the shipment of black eye bean straw from Santa Susanna, Simi, Moorpark and any other points in Ventura county to that city, was issued Saturday by the State Railroad Commission.

The Pacific Fiber and Retarder Company, which is the only manufacturer of retarder from bean straw west of the Rockies, asked reparation of \$301.18 for excessive rates charged by the Southern Pacific for the shipment of black eye bean straw. The commission found that the rates of the Southern Pacific were 75 cents higher from Santa Susanna to Ventura than from Santa Susanna to Los Angeles, although Ventura is only four miles further.

Regarding this, the Southern Pacific stated that it rendered the Pacific Fiber Company a more valuable service when it moved a ton of black eye bean straw into Ventura to be manufactured into retarder worth \$10 a ton, than when it moved a ton of the same material into Los Angeles to be used as a fertilizer, worth \$7 a ton. The Southern Pacific also said that it must charge higher rates to compete with automobile and water competition.

There was no proof of damages to justify reparation to the Pacific Fiber Company by the Southern Pacific.

**TO CONSERVE CROPS.**  
Bird-protection Bill Becomes a Preparedness Measure.

One of the preparedness measures pending in Congress, says a statement just issued by the American Game Protective Association, is the proposed act making effective the provisions of the recently ratified treaty between this country and Great Britain whereby adequate protection is provided for birds that migrate between the United States and Canada.

"When we consider, says the protective association's statement, that our Department of Agriculture estimates the annual damage to crops by insects at \$1,300,000, the bill immediately assumes prime importance as a preparedness measure."

"Certainly the European war has taught the importance of an adequate food supply for a nation at arms, and there is no single measure of more importance to conserve this vital element of preparedness for the United States than the immediate adoption of this bill to protect the birds, the most important factor provided by nature for holding in check insect pests."

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## RELIGION

Services Yesterday.  
THE PREACHER

GO INTO THE HIGHWAY  
HEDGES SEEKING SINNERS

In a practical sermon on "The Kingdom of God," one of the preachers of Los Angeles yesterday declared that the ideal of a peace was never so little as now, and that the very horror of war is bringing the world to a new era of peace. Various other pastors referred to the war situation and the need for a new era of peace. One speaker said that out of our present condition God is going to achieve with a grander purpose.

**DR. TILGROVE.**  
UNIVERSITY METHODIST CHURCH

Dr. W. E. Tilgrove preached University Methodist Church yesterday on "The Kingdom of God." He said, "The Kingdom of God is not a place, it is a state of mind. It is















# Progress of the South-west's Great Mining Revival—Latest Developments Chronicled

## NINE CARLOADS DAY AVERAGE

Extension Output Over Five Million Pounds Month.

Dundee-Arizona Now Among District's Producers.

Combination Lead Points to Permanent Ore Body.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

JEROME (Ariz.) April 24.—United Verde Extension's great tunnel, projected to tap the mine at 1400 feet depth, is not to be started as soon as expected. Instead, a haulage tunnel is to be provided from the 400 station of the new shaft. The tunnel through the "hogback," giving broad gauge connection with the railroad that is to be built up the mountainside from the smelter site, down near the Verde River.

The new shaft is being lined with concrete as it is sunk. There is no need of hurry, for this new opening is only about 300 feet east of the 25th shaft, and it is probable it will not be in use before November. Some connecting drift work is being done, but practically nothing in the way of development, as an ample supply of ore has been located out for shipping needs for months to come.

Present connection with the outside by means of an aerial tram, a mile long, reaching to the 25th shaft, with bins on the United Verde Company's ore-supply railroad, to the northeast. Shipments have been averaging nine carloads a day—35 tons—of ore sampling better than 25 per cent. copper. This means a product of 5,000,000 pounds a month, compared with 6,000,000 from the United Verde.

Reduction facilities have been secured, to a limited extent, at Douglas and Humboldt, but a part of the ore now is to be diverted to Globe, where the sulphides are welcome. A rate of \$10.95 a ton has been authorized, considered very low, in view of the distance of nearly 600 miles, and the necessity for six railroad connections.

**EXTENSION PERSONNEL.** George Kingdon, who is to have future supervision of the operations of the Extension, has been a heavy stockholder in the property ever since James S. Douglas became interested. At present the mine work is in charge of his brother, Richard Kingdon, who succeeded David Morgan when the latter went to the Verde Combination.

George Kingdon has been mining in the Southwest since 1872, when he was a mine foreman in the Old Dominion at Globe. After some experience in Blaine, he was for seven years mine superintendent for the Moccasin Company near Nacozine, James S. Douglas being manager. Then he was mine manager for the Old Dominion at Globe until 1912, when he went to Tombstone. Later he was a mine foreman in the Old Dominion at Globe.

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**LEAD TO PERMANENCE.** Verde Combination has struck what Supt. Dave Morgan calls "a positive guide to a permanent ore body" in a 5-foot lead of low-grade chalcocite in a vein of the Verde Extension. The company is employing fifty men and has its full mechanical equipment on the ground. The tunnel is being driven steadily, through very hard ground. Lately a raise from the tunnel level was broken through into the three-compartment shaft that is being sunk from the surface.

George Mitchell has purchased in Los Angeles a boiler and compressor and a standard drilling rig of 3000 feet capacity, all for the Jerome-Superior. A shaft was started at once near a drill hole in which ore is said to have been cut at 270 feet.

W. E. Nicholson, the new superintendent of the Jerome Victor Extension, is a Michigan College of Mines man, for a while connected with the Kearsarge property. He comes here from Cananea, where he has been on the engineering staff of the Greene-Canaana.

The three-compartment shaft of Calumet & Jerome now is past 300 feet, driven by three shifts a day. Control of the property is understood to have been given under option to the Verde Extension. They have had the sinking work inspected by engineers who believe indications favorable for striking a sulphide ore body at not much greater depth.

Will L. Clark, former manager for United Verde, whose fullest details make of the repeated statement that he is to have charge of the Green Monster, in which he is a director. Just now, he is interested in a general economic war survey of the Southwest, work he expects to continue as a patriotic service.

In a drill hole from the 1400 level, Jerome Verde is reported to have just cut a two-foot stringer of 27 per cent. sulphide of the Verde sort known in the Extension. This stringer is assumed to be one that will lead to a greater ore lens.

## DESERT MINING REVIVAL.

War Calls Forth Renewed Activity in California Camps.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

REDLANDS, April 29.—Col. John Riggs of this city, who has large mining interests on the desert, has just returned from an inspection of his properties, and at that time arranged for making many improvements and increasing the output of his mines. Col. and Mrs. Riggs made the 900-mile trip in their automobile, and found everywhere signs of awakening activity in mining. Col. Riggs is the owner of the Alta silver mines, and he has decided to drive a large tunnel in this mine and plans to double the output of the ore. He believes the mines can furnish important help in the war in which the United States has entered, and he feels all those who are mining should be active in increasing the mineral output, as the farmers are urged to be in enlarging the food production.

Several syndicates of this city who own mines on the desert are planning to start work at once in anticipation of the big metal market.

The activities in the Whitewater district, east of this city, have increased in the past few weeks and several carloads of machinery to be used in mining have been unloaded at the station there.

**Essential.**

## WAR MINERAL DATA SOUGHT.

MINING BUREAU CONDUCTING IMPORTANT CAMPAIGN.

Mobilization of Resources Especially Needed in Mining of Minerals is Aim of State Organization, Which is Recording Rapid Progress in Work.

The State Mining Bureau is making rapid progress in the conduct of its field campaign, under the direction of State Mineralogist Fletcher Hamilton, to report on the economic minerals of California, which have an important industrial and military bearing on the present war situation.

For the past four years the bureau has been working on a complete survey of the entire State's mineral resources by counties, field work for which is now practically completed, and the results in part published. The data are now being assembled with special reference to their importance for war use. Particular interest is being given to the present mobilization of the available supplies of chrome, coal, iron, manganese, molybdenum, quicksilver and tungsten.

The extent and availability of petroleum resources, which are so important in modern war operations, have already been thoroughly covered by the bureau in its work of prospecting the fields from damage by faulty operations. As a result, the mineral resources are already well in hand, trained geologists and engineers of the bureau's staff are being sent to bring the information down to the minute with relation to the latest developments in the above-named items. The report will cover the location, size, accessibility to transportation, character, quality, and estate of development of every known deposit throughout the entire State.

W. Burling Tucker, chief field assistant, has charge of the work in the counties south of the Tehachas. Clarence A. Waring, field assistant, the counties along the Sierra Nevada Mountains from the eastward. Emile Hugenin, field assistant, the counties along the Coast Ranges from Monterey to Del Norte. Walter W. Bradley, mining statistician, Siskiyou and Shasta counties, beside general quicksilver data and research work on the metallurgy of quicksilver.

The conservation and utilization of mineral resources, while highly important at all times, are imperative in the present emergency. With the exception of a small tonnage of chrome from Oregon in 1916, and of molybdenum from Washington in 1917, California has been the sole source of these two minerals in the United States. For many years California has been, and still is, producing from 70 per cent. to 80 per cent. of the quicksilver yield of the United States. This metal is absolutely essential from a military standpoint, as there has not yet been produced a commercial substitute in the manufacture of fulminating caps for explosives. California is one of the two main producing tungsten states of the Union. This metal is especially valuable in the manufacture of alloys for high-speed tool steels.

**Chloride.**

## LESSEES ALREADY HAVE ORE IN BAY STATE SHAFT.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

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## PUTTING MINE ON MAP AGAIN.

San Diegoan Would Develop North-end Property.

Gold Ore Hits Good Stride in Lower Level.

Campaign at Big Jim Soon to be Outlined.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

OATMAN (Ariz.) April 27.—W. H. Holcomb of San Diego is making active preparations for the unwinding of the old Mossback mine in the north end district, and if conditions are found as represented it is stated the property will be equipped with first-class machinery and developed to depth.

The Mossback is one of the old time producers of the Silver Creek section, its history being contemporaneous with the Hardy and Cross mines. Tradition has it that thirty years ago it produced some very good ore that was milled on the Colorado River, a few miles distant.

In mining the better grade the legend runs that a huge deposit of low grade was developed to a limited extent—some say 250 feet in width—and carrying values of \$9 a ton throughout. The "pay streak" of those days was two to three feet in width, and carrying values of \$12 a ton. The value of \$200 a ton, according to the same source of information.

Some thirty years have passed since the Mossback was worked and during all that time interest and compound interest on a loan has been piling up, until the property is "in the red" to the tune of \$40,000, being mortgaged to a San Diego bank, or to a customer of the bank. At any rate, this obligation must be cared for before the ore can be mined.

Charles Burlock, principal owner of the Mossback, came to camp with Mr. Holcomb and gave him considerable information concerning the workings. The shaft is down 330 feet and some 200 feet of lateral work has been done on the 300-foot level.

**GOLD ORE LOOKS GOOD.**

Conditions continue to show improvement in the Gold Ore mine. The mine now down about 100 feet below the 530-foot level and the vein is fully seven feet wide, solid quartz, and carrying splendid values. J. Y. McConnell has become interested in the property and will be elected president of the company when his return from home in Oakland, about May 10. The plan is to sink the vein to a depth of 200 feet, where the ore is being mined, and the vein and the ore blocked out in anticipation of mill construction.

The development of several days in underground work at the Nellie was caused by the necessity of lowering the Cornish pump to the 500-foot level. There is so much water coming in it seems evident that the vein is not far off. As the crosscut is in but seventy-five or eighty feet, the vein must be sighted, and it would require over 100 feet to reach it on the same dip as shown in the shaft.

**JIM AND EASTERN.**

The United Eastern mill appears to have "struck its stride" in March, and unless the power goes off, as sometimes happens, or there is some unexpected accident, it will be a success. April output of bullion will be about the same as March, which was \$155,582. Both in the mill and underground, operations have been reduced to a routine, which will give Supt. Burgess time to outline development of the Big Jim mine, now being developed from Washington. Commencing May 1 it is understood the force at the Jim will be increased to three shifts.

At the same time A. G. Keating, superintendent of the Big Jim, will transfer his force to the Bluebird, on the other side of town, which is to be developed by the Big Jim Consolidated, successor to Big Jim Gold Mining Company.

**Good Reason.**

[Yonkers Statesman:] "Why have you spelled every word in this joke with a capital letter?" asked the editor. "Because it is a capital joke," replied the joke-writer.

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## MAINTAINING VALUES.

Silver Camp Tonnage Reveals Gain Over Preceding Month—Bullion Shipments are Slightly Lower Than They Were Last Year.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

TONOPAH, April 27.—Earnings and bullion shipments show a slight falling off compared with the same month last year. Tonopah Mining reports a net of \$15,300, derived from the treatment of 1745 tons of ore of an average value of \$17.37 per ton. From this there was extracted 15,255 ounces gold and silver valued at \$141,235. Greater tonnage was put through the mill than for the preceding month, and the value of the ore was 25 per cent. higher than in February. This improvement in values is being maintained, for reports from the mill show that during the current week the ore has been running 20 and better per ton. Reports from the Eden Mining Company in Nicaragua, a subsidiary of the Tonopah, state that the mill started running there on the first of March, and that everything went ahead smoothly.

Belmont earnings for March were \$71,458.76 from the treatment of 15,164 tons of ore. The bullion production was 198,757 ounces of gold and 186,352 ounces of silver, the aggregate value being \$1,416,940. The 300-level a gratifying improvement has taken place in the width of the south vein, which has been increased from 10 to 15 feet. Development by means of a raise from the Occidental east drift.

**Nevada.**

## FUSE INTERESTS IN MANHATTAN.

LEADING CAPITALISTS BACK STRONG COMPANY.

Consolidation is Expected to Expedite Development and Put Quiet on Legal Troubles.

Eastern Ore Body Holding Out in White Caps.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

MANHATTAN (Nev.) April 27.—A consolidation of the leading financial interests connected with the development of Manhattan, took place during the week. The White Caps Extension Mines Company was organized with a nominal capital of \$100,000. The stock is divided between the richest mine operators of Utah and Nevada, including the Jesse Knight interests, which are estimated to represent a capital of \$60,000,000. The new corporation is headed by John G. Kirchen, father of the White Caps and personal representative of Charles H. Johnson, who is president; John H. Miller, the Nevada millionaire mine operator, vice president; and John H. Brown, the leading attorney of Nevada, who is said to represent the Philadelphia men.

The fusion of these forces also puts a quietus on the conflict that has raged between the White Caps and the Manhattan Consolidated Mining Company, which was partially compromised last week by the payment of \$100,000 to the latter company for the right to explore the Eastern Ore body, greater than any that has been put down in the camp will be sunk to the mineralized zone as soon as machinery can be delivered.

Most interesting developments have been carried on in the fourth level of the White Caps. The eastern ore body has been proven for a distance of 600 feet, and is now being developed from the top level. With neither end of the ore in sight. From the point where the ore body was tapped, a drift from the fourth level was driven for thirty feet to the east. If this last work is on the shaft ore body, as developed from the top level of the mine, it seems to prove that in the bottom of the mine the shaft ore body and the west ore body have united without any break in the continuation between the two shafts. The latest face samples in the west drift assayed 156.50 in gold, 10.50 in silver, and 1.50 in copper, the total value being \$16.50 per ton. The latest face samples in the east drift assayed 161.50 per ton. The latest face samples in the west drift assayed 156.50 in gold, 10.50 in silver, and 1.50 in copper, the total value being \$16.50 per ton.

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What gives it its weight? Samples are from five-foot ledge in Coyote Mountains, Imperial county, California. Runs to white lime rock under surface, but still retains weight.

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BY W. A. COUSINS, Editor "The American Banker."

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RAILWAY RATES ADVANCE THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

Even Government-owned Lines Abroad are Forced to Higher Charges by the Increased Cost of Materials and Labor, While Roads in this Country Cannot Adjust Tariffs to Operating Outlay.

FROM the most authentic sources available the Bureau of Railway News and Statistics, Chicago, has made a compilation of the rate advances put into effect in recent years by the railway systems of the various countries of the world.

Practically all the advances since 1907, when effective downward regulation of American railway rates began, most of the advances have been since 1910, when the Federal power of suspending rates removed the last vestige of power American railways had to adjust rates to operating costs.

Of recent advances the explanations in all countries bear remarkable similarity. It is an unbroken testimony of rising wages, higher costs of coal, advancing prices of all materials, and that unprofitable railways undermine the entire industrial fabric.

It is interesting that most of the foreign railway systems included are owned and operated by the governments—a fact of peculiar interest to those people who today deny any justification for advances being prayed for by American railways.

Some of the advances follow: ARGENTINE REPUBLIC. October 1, 1915—Advance of 10 per cent. in freight and passenger rates, estimated to yield about \$8,000,000.

AUSTRALIA. New South Wales. 1914—Passenger fares advanced 5 to 50 per cent. Freight rates advanced 10 per cent.

South Australia. January 1, 1915—Freight other than wheat, oats, barley, flour, etc., increased 10 per cent. Round-trip tickets advanced 10 per cent.

Victoria. October 1, 1915—Passenger fares advanced 5 to 10 per cent, suburban, and 5 to 12 1/2 per cent. through. Parcel rates advanced 10 per cent. Freight rates advanced 5 to 3 1/2 per cent.

Western Australia. April 26, 1915—Season ticket and excursion rates increased; parcel rates increased; traders' and commercial travelers' concessions abolished.

AUSTRIA. 1910—Passenger and freight rates advanced. Added revenues over \$2,000,000 first year and \$8,000,000 in later years.

1911—Many railway tariffs of state railways increased. January 1 and May 15, 1912—Rates for bulky commodities, like cement, sugar, spirits, coal and wood for export advanced.

1913—Additional advances in freight rates. November 1, 1915—Deutsche Reichsbahn raised 300 per cent. January 1, 1917—Cheap season tickets for longer period than one month abolished; free transport of salesmen's samples abolished.

February 1, 1917—Freight rates advanced 30 per cent. Military tariffs advanced in same ratio. Additional revenue anticipated \$40,000,000 yearly. Also some advance in passenger fares.

CANADA. 1915—Government Intercolonial Railway advanced local freight tariffs 1 to 3 per cent. Round-trip tickets advanced 10 per cent.

July 6, 1915—Freight rates on eastern roads advanced, according to destination, 2 to 6 cents, first class, and 1 to 2 cents fifth class, advances on intermediate classes being proportionate.

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ENGLAND. January 12, 1915—About a 4 per cent. increase in reduced fare tickets and commutation tickets.

July 1, 1915—A 4 per cent. advance on freight except coal and coke; 5 per cent. advance in round-trip and weekly excursion tickets; 2 1/2 to 5 per cent. in commutation tickets.

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GERMANY. 1907—Passenger fares in various states advanced incident to unification of tariffs.

1910—Württemberg advances fourth-class passenger fares. 1912—Free baggage allowance of fifty-five pounds abolished and round-trip fares increased.

1915—Accessory charges on freight advanced, including demurrage and storage. IRELAND. November, 1915—Freight rates advanced 10 to 15 per cent. on Midland Great Western.

1915—Freight rates advanced 6 cents to 11 1/2 cents on Dublin and Southeastern, following advances in 1915.

February 1, 1917—Freight rates, including live stock, on shipments to England advanced to statutory maximum.

ITALY. April, 1911—Freight rates advanced 3 per cent. August, 1911—Season tickets advanced 3 per cent; round-trip tickets, 6 per cent; 2 1/2 cents per ton increase in dispatching fees on freight.

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September 10, 1915—A 10 per cent. advance in certain freight tariffs due to continued advance in cost of operation.

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Washington is directed to the statement issued to the press this afternoon by the Secretary of the Treasury. In view of the large issues of United States bonds which will be offered in the near future, and which it is hoped will be subscribed to a great extent by investors, large and small, whose funds are now on deposit in banks, the Secretary has decided to call upon the member banks of the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco to forward to member banks of the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco a quotation from a letter of the 20th inst. from the governor of the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco.

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SHIPPING.

HARBOR OF LOS ANGELES. (In connection with the subject of the harbor of Los Angeles, the following information is given.)

California Irrigation Districts' Issues Are Said to Attract Attention as Prime Importance of Greater Crops Is Realized.

In view of the food shortage that the entire world is facing, it is pointed out that irrigation service can be rendered by bringing water to the fields of the country. This is one of the strongest reasons for the present popularity of California irrigation districts.

Secretary Horne of this company yesterday pointed out that such bonds are not only issued to provide cheaper water for land of proven richness, thereby insuring the future of their own country, but under the Irrigation Act of 1917, which governs their issue in every detail, they give the holder a certain percentage of the degree of protection and safeguard. An irrigation district in California is a political subdivision. It is formed by the people of the district, and is managed by public officials, supervised by State and county authorities. The district is not a corporation, and its bonds are not guaranteed by private corporations or mutual companies; the law gives them the same power of taxation as the bonds of the State and county.

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## DRAMA.

### STAGE GEM SPARKLES. MOROSCO COMPANY REVIVES "MISLEADING LADY."

By Henry Christian Warnock.

Some plays spring from the author's mind, as from a Shakespeare's brain; some are made great by their direction, as something finished in the workshop of a craftsman like a Bellini, and some few are given the impulse of genius by the quality of the cast that play them, as when a Mansfield shadows his stage with a strange majesty and a power that compels.

"The Misleading Lady" at the Morocco this week, while not of the timber of greatness left the pen of its author an untested gem, a creation of spontaneous delight, as natural in its originality, and just as refreshing, as a user lifting his head in a field of wild weeds.

It is essentially a work of the stage, but while it is not a part of life, it is distinctly apart from life, so that its very artificiality relates itself to nature as a noble vase lends itself to the fragrance and the beauty of the roses it contains.

If you have never seen this quaint and lovely play, you will enjoy the Morocco production unstintingly, but if you perchance witnessed the Fairbank production the first week of December, 1915, you will have been spoiled by that unusually brilliant performance wherein A. Burl Warner gave a make-believe Napoleon of such humor and pathos that all the annals of stage history hold little that is his equal. His interpretation of the genius madman escaped from a house of sorrows was memorable, and for that character of work, one that could hardly be excelled.

This part of the play is taken cleverly enough by Mr. Frank Darien, who in the first performance two years ago, was a young man of fashion, and at present interpreted by David Hutt, who in that same performance was one of the two most interesting men who make a portion of the fun in the play.

Wallace Howe was the other

cheerful party to this amusing couple and he again brings the same sparkling nonsense to the drill part.

In the first act we have an unusually satisfactory house-party scene in which everybody on the stage is much at home, but the remaining acts fail to enter sustain this sprightly introduction. One leaves with the feeling that all of the principals have not taken full advantage of the clever play's wide opportunities. A salad isn't just a salad—it is either an epicure's delight or an abomination. There are no tolerably good salads. Every one of them is either a work of art or a mistake. In the present instance our friends have had all of the ingredients for a prime relish and have failed somewhere in the mixing.

My severity has already been explained, however, by my confusion of having so greatly enjoyed the previous production, and if you have not had the same experience, then go to the Morocco by all means for the play itself will make up for anything you may miss in its presentation.

Besides, the Morocco was by way of spoiling us all lately by one good production, and merely a day in the choice of plays and the manner of their staging.

## FRIVOLS.

### "CLOCK" STRIKING PLAY FOX FUN-MAKERS FROLIC IN FACETIOUS FILM.

By Grace Kingsley.

Among the "necessities," which Lord Northcliffe recites as requisite to the highest efficiency of soldiers at the front in his Saturday Evening Post article of last week, are means of amusement—photographs, moving pictures, etc. In other words, the military powers have come to realize that genuine enjoyment of legitimate pleasure and a desirable thing in a soldier, but a very real factor entering into a man's productive ability, efficiency and powers of endurance.

Not only are the film concerns taking a marked interest in providing the soldier with amusement, but the people as well. Ramsey Wallace, leading man in "The Misleading Lady," at the Morocco Theater, and

In all earnestness declares that if any great number of American soldiers are sent to Europe to fight the Germans, and are to be there for any length of time, he will offer his services in raising theatrical companies for the production of comedies at the front for the diversion of the soldiers. The idea occurred to Mr. Wallace as the result of a letter received from J. M. Gatti, prominent theatrical man in Paris, in which Mr. Gatti says that the presence of theatrical troupes at the front during the terrific campaigns between the French and the Kaiser's forces was the only thing that prevented many of the warriors going mad under the terrific strain attending their bloody work.

So successful were the players with the comedies with which they entertained the soldiers, that the Kaiser was finally persuaded to send comedy players to entertain his soldiers in the trenches, and the matter goes on to state that these theatricals on the awful battlefields seemed better to the soldiers and gave them more pleasure than could the performance of the most accomplished comedians at home in times of peace.

Mr. Wallace proposes to enlist the services of a large number of Los Angeles actors and secure permission from President Wilson to accompany the soldiers to the front. Only such plays as "Hello, Bill," "The Max," "A Pair of Sixes" and other fun shows, will be presented for the amusement of Uncle Sam's fighters. These plays must, of course, for the most part be put on without scenery and with meager costumes. Already a number of the Morocco players have expressed their willingness to aid Mr. Wallace in his scheme and join his patriotic theatrical company.



Eduardo and Elisa Cansino.

Who will do fancy Castilian steps to bewitching Spanish rhythms this week at the Orpheum.

stripping bare the brow of Douglas Fairbanks in this buoyantly cheerful comedy. Mr. Fairbanks plays the role of a happy-go-lucky young scamp with an irresistible smile and a breezy manner, by which he gets away with quite incredible but always cheerful impertinences. The story has to do, along in the third reel, with a clock left the hero by a mysterious uncle along with an inheritance of five thousand a year on the end of a codicil string, which requires the young man to go to bed at 10 and arise at 6. Probably there is a moral about it somewhere, but it's entirely painless, and a musical comedy twist is given the theme when a near-villain tries to steal the clock.

"Brownie" Vernon, that rare avia, a really intelligent ingenue, wins us as Fairbanks' sweetheart.

The Times-Universal Animated Weekly has unusually interesting views on the mobilization of Uncle Sam's forces.

Of course Pauline Frederick could make a torn pocket handkerchief pathetic! But as a matter of fact, she has a dramatic fabric of more body than usual to deal with in "Sleeping Pines," the picture play being shown at the Woodley this week. In point of fact, the story is one of much appeal, dealing with real flesh-and-blood human beings, and telling of an every day woman, the victim of sorrowful circumstance, yet who finds herself at the end. The role is played with a simple straightforwardness, and the latter lack of stagginess which characterizes Miss Frederick's work in her best moments. Tom Melcham appears to good advantage as the

lawyer here.

Jacobs Sennett's latest conceit, "A Maiden's Trust," gives Myrtle Lind a chance to look pretty, and Ford Sterling a chance to be funny to those to whom he is funny.

Garrick.

Fatty Arbuckle hardly justifies himself in "The Butcher Boy," his first Arctur production, now being shown at the Garrick. "The Butcher Boy" is pretty much the old jase stuff as regards action and plot. Even the prehistoric play is that of course. Fatty in girl's clothes is always funny. He does the cutesy costume in "The Butcher Boy," to follow his sweetheart to boarding school.

Laughter of a certain kind is called forth by the ancient device of the suggesting by the innocent of the real principal of archaic raising sleeping arrangements for Fatty.

James Saunders in H. O. Stephens' "Bunny Jane" makes an undeniable ten-strike. This young woman's girlish humor and piquant playfulness are a real treat. The role of the imaginative country mouse, whose lark lift the half of the town, is played by a real laugh-sweetheart becomes a real treat, challenging the pasture bull, a Wisconsin C. C. Brode, a Roman general at Cleopatra's court. The young lady marries in the final foot of the film, who sent her to boarding-school would appear to be a device rather serious to put an incident.

Alhambra.

"A Royal Romance," the Fox film featuring Virginia Pearson at the Alhambra this week, moves in that layer of society known to every reader of George Barr McCutcheon's school of writers.

Princess Sylvia (Virginia Pearson) is a girl and like any specimen of the species, she yearns for the stuff that makes the 10-cent magazines sell. The fact that she has never met the Emperor Maximilian of the neighboring kingdom—although she is engaged to him—makes no difference, she loves him, and decides to put some Sunday magazine feature material in the romance.

So when she learns that Irving Cummings—or, the Emperor Maximilian is hunting in his forest preserves, she grabs her trusty chambermaid and starts after royal game. When she drops out of a tree into the young man's arms, makes him her humble slave and leads him home to Mamma, the royal councilors suspect her of being an empress. However, her prince brother happens along, her prince brother is already engaged to her as the Princess Sylvia, she notes her romance, and t.h.e.a.s. as the story books say.

If the super-sweetness of royal romance should cloy on your taste, there is the humbler love story of Eddie McNamara, knife man, and the dame he fell in with at a dance hall raid (O. Henry's "Fast One at Reno") that will restore your cheerfulness.

STEP TOWARD HOTEL.

Santa Catalina Company Seeks Permit for Breakwater.

The Santa Catalina Company has just filed an application with the War Department for permission to construct a breakwater, trestle work, wharf, stone bulkhead and rock and dirt fill at Avalon, Santa Catalina Island, at a point just back of Sugar Loaf rock. The work is the first step toward the construction of the new hotel, which the company is about to erect on the island.

The application was made to Maj. G. B. P. of the United States Engineering Corps, and he has issued a notice calling on all interested parties to inspect maps and other data in reference to the work, for the purpose of filing such objections as there may be to the carrying out of the company's plans. Objections should be effective must be filed by May 6.

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## BARD ESTATE TO PAY LARGE TAX.

### NEW AND NOVEL QUESTION IS DECIDED BY COURT.

As Late Senator Reserved the Income from Preferred Shares in Investment Company for His Own Use Court Holds Stock Is Subject to State Payment.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

VENTURA, April 29.—A large sum in inheritance taxes is to be paid to the State by the estate of the late Thomas R. Bard, was the decision of the court here yesterday made by Judge Merle J. Rogers. The contest raised a new and novel question.

Senator Bard died in March, 1915. Four years prior to his death, he caused a corporation, the Berywood Investment Company, to be formed, to which he transferred all his property. The stock of the corporation was divided into 2400 shares of common and 2400 shares of preferred.

The preferred shares were to receive a dividend of 1 per cent. per month on the par value of \$240,000 cumulative dividends. At the time of the organization of the company, the stock was transferred at the time of the organization to Mrs. Bard and children.

Senator Bard, however, reserved the right to receive, during his lifetime, the dividends on the preferred shares.

The estate was appraised at approximately \$100,000, not including the Berywood Investment Company. The report of the inheritance tax appraiser, showed that this transferred property was valued at more than \$125,000 but the appraiser decided that "the transfer had not been made in contemplation of death and therefore no inheritance tax was due the State."

Judge Rogers holds in his opinion that the transfer made by Senator Bard to his family was not made in contemplation of death within the meaning of the law, but that the preferred stock had the effect of bringing that stock within the statute, as being a transfer intended to take effect in possession and enjoyment on the death of Senator Bard, and, therefore, is subject to the tax.

RED CROSS GROWTH.

Representatives from various parts of the county met in the Chamber of Commerce rooms yesterday at the Courthouse, in connection with the Red Cross organization, which is showing consistent growth. A report showed that Oxnard now has 545 members, Fillmore, 415; Ventura, 215; Santa Paula just organizing, 16. A large number of Japanese have enrolled in Oxnard and in Fillmore.

CAPITAL INCREASED.

The Chamber of Commerce Company here has filed papers showing an increase of capital stock of \$100,000. The shares are 10,000 in number of \$100 each.

There is \$18,000 listed as the original subscription, as follows: W. I. R. Weldon, \$4,000; G. S. Barnes, \$5,000; Louis Brooks, \$2,000; Grace E. Weldon, \$200; Lonely Barnes, \$100; Virginia Brooks, \$100.

OFF FOR FRENO.

Angelenos to See Rain Day Festival Events.

Today California extends greetings to the world, inviting it to observe the ninth annual California Rain Day.

Freno has made extensive plans for a festival and thousands of visitors from all parts of the Pacific Coast are being entertained within the gates of the rain center of the world.

The following joined the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce excursion, that left last evening on the Santa Fe for Fresno: Walter L. Morland, vice-president of Chamber of Commerce; Frank Wiggins, secretary of Chamber of Commerce; Mrs. Frank Wiggins, A. C. Brode, a Roman general at Cleopatra's court. The young lady marries in the final foot of the film, who sent her to boarding-school would appear to be a device rather serious to put an incident.

SONG WRITER PASSES.

Native Daughter of California Closes Promising Career.

Iva Anderson Foster, a widely known song writer, passed away yesterday morning at her home, No. 2615 Fifth avenue. The funeral services will be simple and will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the chapel at No. 1248 South Flower street. The body will be cremated.

Mrs. Foster was known throughout the country as the writer and composer of "Through the Dawn." She was a native of San Francisco, being the daughter of the late Dr. Jerome J. Anderson, who was a prominent physician of San Francisco and member of the Charter Commission of that city. She was born there, thirty-four years ago, and was married eight years ago at Pacific Grove to C. R. Foster of Boston. They resided in San Francisco until four years ago, when they removed to Santa Monica. About a year ago they came to Los Angeles to reside in the home on Fifth avenue. For several years Mrs. Foster was secretary and treasurer of the C. R. Foster Co., music publishers. She is survived by the widower, her mother, Mrs. Levis A. Anderson, and two sisters, Mrs. L. E. Hewitt of Corvallis, Or., and Mrs. C. B. Trimble of Chehalis, Wash.

ON SUSPICION.

Suspected of being an alien enemy, a man giving the name of Ananda Mueller, 39 years of age, was arrested yesterday morning at Vignes and Aliso streets by Officers Tribble and Cantwell. We was charged with keeping late and unseemly hours. He will be held pending investigation by Federal authorities.

LEAVES TEN CHILDREN.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

SAN LUIS OBISPO, April 29.—John Allen Hays, 72 years old, died yesterday at his home at Orcutt, in this county. Until two years ago he was a resident of Arroyo Grande. He came to California from Nebraska sixteen years ago. Besides his wife, who lives at Hongland, Neb., he leaves ten children, living in various parts of the United States.

## FOR STUDY OF BIBLE.

### Minister Urges that Greatest Work of Literature Have a Place in Public Schools; Gives Praise to Editorial in "The Times."

In a sermon on Martin Luther and the Protestant Reformation, given in the First Methodist Episcopal Church yesterday morning, Dr. Charles Edward Locke dwelt upon the free use of the Bible in the Protestant churches, and urged that the Bible should find a place in the public schools. He pointed out that thirty States of the Union permit the reading of the Bible in the public schools, but that while the schools of California are open to all other literature, the Bible, the greatest piece of literature on earth, is not admitted.

In this connection, Dr. Locke declared that nowhere had he seen such a strong editorial on the advisability of placing the Bible in the public schools as that which appeared in The Times a few days ago. He read the editorial in its entirety, and at the close of this reading there was a great outburst of applause.

Dr. Locke states that he is preparing this article for distribution to the religious press of the United States, with suitable comment, and that he considers it one of the most valuable contributions to the present campaign for the placing of the Bible in the public schools.

DEAD IN GUTTER.

Body of Man with Stabbed Sun in Pocket is Found by Policeman.

An unknown man, whose clothes contained no clue to his identity, was found dead in the gutter at Fifth and Los Angeles street early yesterday morning by Sergt. Hodgson. The body is now at the Burton morgue. The man apparently died of natural causes.

The remains are those of a man of 45 years of age, with red hair, rather thin about the top of the head, and two vaccination scars on the right side of the neck. He was about five feet ten inches tall and weighed about 175 pounds. He wore a blue serge suit of good material, a new pair of black shoes, size 7 1/2, purchased from a local shoe company, a blue felt hat with a gray band and gray lining. He had \$23.82 in his pockets when found.

THE BEST OF VAUDEVILLE—  
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The Violinist Who Sings  
MEDLIN, WATTS and TOWNES

HIRSCHEL HENDLER  
The Foot of the Piano  
PALFREY, HALL & BROWN  
WELLINGTON CROSS & LOIS JOSEPH  
LINNE'S CLASSIC DANCERS  
Featuring Miss Uva  
CHARLEY GRAPEWIN  
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MASON OPERA HOUSE—  
JOHN DREW  
Every Night Next Week—Beginning Monday, May 1st  
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MILLER'S  
William Farnum  
ALHAMBRA  
VIRGINIA PEARSON  
SUPERBA  
"THE CLOCK"

TALLY'S  
Broadway  
Theater  
833  
S. Broadway  
10-20-30c  
ANITA STEWART  
and CHARLES RICHMAN  
"THE MORE EXCELLENT WAY"

WASHINGTON BASEBALL PARK—  
VERNON VS. SALT LAKE  
Every Day Except Monday. Game Called at 2:30 P. M.  
SUNDAY MORNING GAME AT VERNON PARK, 10:30 A. M.  
FIRST THREE ROWS IN GRAND STAND RESERVED  
HIPPODROME JOY FOR THE KIDDIES  
LITTLE DONNA'S CIRCUS  
SYMPHONY THEATER—  
MABEL TALLIAFERRO  
"A MAGDALENE OF THE HILLS"

## Gun Spits Death.

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mailed street, with a woman, Kace. The latter was a member of the Hun Yack Company, known of the Chinese, except in China. He was formerly a merchant and later became a merchant city. He was a member of the Sing Tong thirty years ago. The police force in Chinatown trebled following the shooting yesterday afternoon.

The tone was spread to the last night when a Chinaman shot. Up to a late hour it had not been identified.

Evidence.

DUE TO FAN BAN

Battle of a Damaged Auto

Policeman at Arroyo Drive Charge of Failing to Give His Car After an Accident.

The hanging of a fan ban battered radiator of an automobile yesterday morning from the trunk of a car belonging to the identity of the machine struck and perhaps injured Ledaime Rodriguez, 30, old, Mexican, the husband of Florence and Central avenue. Refugio was hit by the automobile at Sunset boulevard and street. Officers J. J. Freudenberg hurried to the Freudenberg heard an automobile sitting along 16th Street and a command of a man give chase.

On Mission road Freudenberg overhauled David Seal of the car and took him to Central where he was booked on a charge of not stopping after an accident. The man was under the vehicle.

Refugio was hurried to the receiving hospital by Officer Smith. It was found he had suffered fractures of the left arm and six ribs. But in the City Jail without delay.

Doesn't Appeal to Him

[Houston Post:] As the case is certain. The man was found on his way to the music is not going to get the ukulele notes.

10-20-30c  
2:30, 7, 9 P. M.  
THE GIRL IN THE GOLDEN GLOBE

CE-DORA  
TOM KELLY  
THAT FAMOUS IRISHMAN

BIG 8  
BILLY SMALL  
THE "WOP" VIOLINIST  
OAKLAND SISTERS  
LATE OF SIEGFELD'S FOLLIES  
THE SECRET KINGDOM  
NO. 11—THE WHITE WITCH  
GEORGE & MAY LA FEVRE  
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PAULINE SLEEPING  
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WOODLEY SPECIAL  
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HOUSE PETERS  
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Kathleen Clifford, One of the Balboa's new stars, who is being featured in the serial, "The Twisted Thread."